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PRISONERS MAKE ESCAPE FROM PARIS JAIL

Will Rankin and Frank Hanks, colored prisoners, who were serving sentences in the Paris jail on bootlegging charges, made their escape from the bastille by the now familiar trick of heating the limestone partition until it crumbled and then removing the bars from the outside windows.

It was rumored Saturday that the men had an automobile in waiting in which they were taken to Ohio, where Rankin, it was alleged, had planned to take a position as camp cook on a big construction job, just before he was arrested a short time ago. A white man, suspected of being implicated in the escape of the men, could not be located, and his automobile was missing.

Rankin and Hanks had been lodged in the older part of the jail. There are now four steel cells which that night contained two prisoners. Jailor Taylor stated that he was under the impression that a State law would have prohibited him from incarcerating the two colored men in the same portion of the jail which is used for white prisoners.

FOOTBALL NOTES

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

University of Kentucky, 15; University of Cincinnati, 0.
Transylvania College, 0; Marshall College, 58.
Center College, 55; University of Mississippi, 0.

The Freshman football team of the University of Kentucky, took the Paris High School team into camp on Hancock Field Friday afternoon, by the score of 27 to 0. The Paris team put up a strong fight, but the University team had come prepared to do or die, and rather than die, they did in a truly gridiron field style. The members of the Paris team are not one whit cast down by their defeat, but are ready to tackle the next bunch of warriors for the honor of old P. H. S. A meeting was held in the auditorium of the High School previous to the game, in which words of encouragement were handed out to the Paris players as a sort of mental stimulant to them. But Paris will come through again with the turn of the tide.

No matter what others say, the clothier will strive his best to suit you.

COMMERCIAL CLUB TO RESUME MONTHLY DINNERS

The first of the monthly dinners of the Paris Commercial Club, after the summer vacation, will be held in the Y. M. C. A., Thursday evening, at 6:30 p. m.

Much of the entertainment which was a feature of last year's dinners will be curtailed in the interest of a round-table discussion of ideas and plans immediately urgent. This first dinner, in other words, will be almost entirely "eats and business."

Everyone who is sincerely interested in the Commercial Club doing something worth while in the way of stimulating fall business, is urged to be present and contribute to the general discussion.

W. S. Dale has been secured as caterer for the dinner, and Billy assures us that eats will be plentiful.

Representatives of all organizations, The American Red Cross, Farm Bureau, Health and Welfare League, Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Bourbon County Woman's Club, Bourbon County Garden Club, D. A. R., U. D. C., Bourbon County Medical Association, American Legion, War Mothers, Community Service, Board of Education, County and City, Board of Council, are requested to be present to voice the sentiments of their respective bodies. Ladies are especially invited.

Let us mobilize the thought of our county and express it co-operatively through our Commercial Club to further the interests of our city and county.

Tickets will be one sale at the office of the Commercial Club, W. S. Dale's restaurant, Worick Brothers, and by the Ticket Committee.

PARCEL SALE SUCESSFUL

The Sunshine Circle of the Presbyterian church, composed of the young members, with Miss Lucy Colville in charge, cleared a handsome sum at their parcel sale held Saturday morning. Within one hour a total of \$46 had been realized on the packages disposed of, with a like proportion throughout the sale.

The rummage sale held by the Woman's Auxiliary of the same church, in the Wilson building, at the corner of Main and Third streets, was also a notable success in the two days sale, realizing a goodly sum, which will be devoted to church purposes.

THE FACTS IN THE BLUE GRASS LEAGUE

The 1922 season of the Blue Grass League is a thing of the past. At its start, numbers of baseball enthusiasts threw cold water upon the proposition, and were heard to remark that the Blue Grass League would not last as much as ten days. However, the season has closed with the League playing out its entire schedule of games.

The first half of the season was won by Maysville, with the Paris team in second place. The second half, judging from the papers of the various towns, seems to be somewhat in doubt. However, at the close of the season, the Paris team had won twenty-four games and had lost eighteen games. The Cynthiana team had also won twenty-four games and had lost eighteen games, thus leaving the Paris team and the Cynthiana team tied for first place. The Mt. Sterling team, under the management of Preacher Hill and Hod Eller, an ex-saline ball artist of the Cincinnati Reds, who was acting as manager for the Mt. Sterling team, claimed that they were winners of the pennant. Eller strived to secure that position for his club through technicalities and alleged irregularities of both the Paris and Cynthiana teams, out upon investigation the records showed that the irregularities were not in the Cynthiana and Paris management, but in the management of the Mt. Sterling team, who had failed to file contracts upon any player until the 29 day of August, of this year. Also Potts the first baseman of the Mt. Sterling team, was by Mr. Farrell, declared an outlaw, and all of the games won by Mt. Sterling, in which Potts played, were thrown out and not counted in the final standing of the clubs. This eliminated Mt. Sterling from any claims she had upon the pennant. Eller also declared that Noble Ballou was an outlaw and not eligible to play upon the Paris team. However, Mr. Farrell, the Chairman and Secretary of the National Board of Arbitration, disagreed with Eller, and said that the standing of Noble Ballou was O. K., and that Paris was entitled to the games in which he participated, thus leaving Cynthiana and Paris tied for first place.

Then in order to settle the matter as to who was the winner of the second half of the series, Jesse Morton, the manager and owner of the Lexington club, volunteered the information that he had defeated Cynthiana one game in which he used a pitcher without signing the pitcher to a contract. This being contrary to the rules of organized baseball, this game was taken from Cynthiana's losing column, leaving Cynthiana as winning twenty-four games and losing seventeen, thereby finishing the season one-half a game ahead of Paris. Mr. Morton, the manager and owner of the Lexington team, volunteered this information, and for which confessed irregularity he is liable to a severe fine. In addition to the fine, Manager Morton failed to complete the season with his club and forfeited several games to Winchester and Mt. Sterling. It is reported on reliable authority that his failure to complete the season and also his confessed irregularities in running his team will be the cause of Mr. Morton losing the franchise of the Lexington club. No action has been taken upon this matter at the present, but the Directors of the Blue Grass League expect to act upon the same at some future date.

At the final winding up of the season, Cynthiana was declared the winner of the second half by one-half a game over the Paris club, and is now playing off a series with Maysville.

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BIRTHS

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BASE BALL

In the game played under protest at League Park, in Paris, Friday afternoon, the Mt. Sterling team came from behind in the ninth inning and defeated the Mammoth by a score 13 to 12. Paris entered a protest at the beginning of the game on account of Deveraux, formerly of the Winchester team, playing with Mt. Sterling. It was stated that Deveraux's contract with the Winchester club did not expire until next Thursday, October 12. As the score indicated the contest was a free-for-all in the hitting order, Paris using four pitchers during the nine-innings. Nippert, Cicona, Winger, Eller and Ritter figured in the hit column, Cicona getting two three-base hits. Cicona was slightly injured in sliding headlong into home plate.

The batteries were: For Paris—Wills, Cotter, Mueller, Woods and Macke; for Mt. Sterling—Ferrell, Harrison and Lackey. Umpires, Brokman and Klopp.

According to published schedule the Louisville Colonels will play the Paris Mammoth at League Park next Saturday, October 14. The Colonels had to travel ten innings to defeat the Winchester team of the Bluegrass League at Winchester, Sunday. Hod Eller, former world series star and present manager for the Mt. Sterling team, pitched for Winchester, and was in splendid form. The final score was 5 to 4. Tincup started pitching for Louisville, but was relieved in the fifth by Deberry, who was touched up for ten hits, and four runs. Winchester tied the score in the ninth, Louisville putting over the winning run in the tenth.

The agony is at last over, and the official seal has been placed on Cynthiana as winner of the second series of the Blue Grass League race. Paris fondly hoped to be the abiding place of the pennant, and for a while even the proverbial Philadelphia lawyer would have been puzzled to ascertain which team was to be dubbed the champions. Mt. Sterling claimed it. Cynthiana was sure it belonged there, and Paris thought it was cinch, while Winchester and Lexington were officially out of the running. We are all glad it is over, but sorry Paris was eulcered out of the honor, which few of us doubt belonged here—the championship of the Blue Grass League.

A proposal has been made at Lawrenceburg to start a baseball league next year with Lawrenceburg, Frankfort, Shelbyville, Harrodsburg, Bloomfield and Bardstown as members. And already there is talk here of organizing a base ball league in Bourbon county, composed of North Middletown, Jacksonville, Millersburg, Austerlitz, Escondido, Hutchison, Ruddles Mills, Spears Mill and Paris. Some league, that!

The first game of the Blue Grass League championship series between the Maysville and Cynthiana teams was staged on the Cynthiana grounds Sunday afternoon, resulting after an uphill fight in the score being tied in the eighth inning, and the game called on account of darkness. The score then stood 6 to 6, and no prospects of either team being able to pull another run across the plate before darkness settled down over the conflict. Boskin pitched a good game for Maysville until the eighth inning when he weakened, and this, coupled with errors, netted the Cynthiana team four runs. Monhollen, on the pitching mound for Cynthiana strengthened as the game progressed. Cynthiana's first run came in the fourth inning, when Barker after hitting for two bases, scored on a deep single by Farley. The batteries were: For Cynthiana, Monhollen and Barker; for Maysville, Boskin and Connolly. The third and fourth games in the series will be played at Maysville on next Thursday and Friday, the fifth at Cynthiana Saturday, and the sixth contest at Maysville Sunday.

The Louisville Colonels, who are on a barn-storming tour through Kentucky, will play the Cynthiana team at Cynthiana to-morrow.

EXPLAIN EXTENSION COURES

The Bourbon County Teachers Association met at the court house Saturday morning, where they listened to addresses by Prof. Wellington Patrick and Dr. P. K. Holmes, of the University of Kentucky on modern educational topics of special interest to progressive teachers. The program of the extension courses of the University to be given in Paris this fall, winter and spring, were outlined by the speakers, and no speakers ever had a more attentive and interested audience.

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FISCAL COURT PROCEEDINGS

The Bourbon Fiscal Court met in regular session with County Judge George Batterton, presiding, and the following Magistrates present: F. P. Lowry, Thomason, Burris, Talbott, Stephenson, Bell, Shropshire and Turner.

The report of the Bourbon County Road Commission was read, and filed. The accounts for the past month were allowed and ordered paid.

A warrant for the sum of \$36,672.73 was ordered drawn in favor of the Road Commissioner for repairs on the county pikes.

Magistrates Lowry and Thomason were appointed a committee to confer with the city authorities of Paris in regard to purchasing an automobile for use of the Visiting Nurse for the Bourbon County Health and Welfare League, Mrs. Harriet B. Minaker.

County Attorney D. D. Cline was appointed a special commission to execute a deed from Bourbon county to the Independent Tobacco Warehouse Company.

Magistrates Burris and Turner were appointed a committee to investigate and report on the advisability of trading lands with the Catholic Cemetery Co.

The Daughters of the American Revolution were granted permission to place a bronze tablet in the court house.

Jos. Godman was elected keeper of the County Infirmary for another year at the same salary as is now fixed, \$100 per month.

Dr. A. B. Plummer was elected Livestock Inspector of Bourbon county for the ensuing year at the same salary as is now fixed, \$25 per month.

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STATE MEETING U. D. C.

October 18 and 19 have been chosen as dates for the State Convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, which will be held at Louisville. Headquarters will be at the Seelbach Hotel, and many plans are being made by the Louisville chapter for the entertainment of guests.

FIRE DESTROYS BARN AND ALL CONTENTS

One of the most disastrous fires in Bourbon county for many years Friday night resulted in the destruction of the large barn belonging to Wm. M. Jones, near North Middletown, together with ten highbred saddle horses, a large quantity of hay and feed, four mules, three wagons, and farming implements.

The barn is about 175 feet in length and was a mass of flames when discovered. An explosion before the fire was discovered blew the roof off the building. The loft of the barn had recently been filled with soy bean fodder. It is thought the fire and explosion resulted from spontaneous combustion from the fodder.

The ten horses were pedigreed animals in various stages of training. The total loss is approximately \$20,000, partly covered by insurance. The fire was seen for several miles around.

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BOURBON GUN CLUB

On account of the unavoidable absence of Secretary Rudolph Davis, who was called to Carlisle by the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Howse, the regular report of the Bourbon Gun Club's shoot of Wednesday was handed in too late for publication in Friday's issue. The trophy, \$10.00 in trade, donated by Grinnell Bros., was won by Alfred Clay, who made a score of 100 straight hits. There will be but three more shoots, as the traps will be closed on November 1. The following scores were made Wednesday:

	Shot at	Broke
A. B. Perkins	125	117
Alf. Clay	100	100
John Shropshire	100	93
J. L. Dodge	100	88
W. F. Brent	75	68
W. W. Kenney	50	49
W. M. Ardery	50	48
Amos Turney	50	46
W. S. Haggard	50	44

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